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MAJOR ACTIONS FROM APRIL 16 BOARD MEETING IN ATLANTA

The Board voted to adopt a resolution authorizing the move from HOV2 to HOT3 status on our managed roads. The first implementation is planned for I-85 in Gwinnett County.

The Board also voted to authorize only ARRA/Stimulus lettings for May; to consider only ARRA/Stimulus lettings for June; and, to only have ARRA/Stimulus lettings in July and August of FY10 in an effort to meet the Department's budget shortfall.

Additionally, the Board voted to continue furloughs for all employees up to two (2) days per month per employee as needed in FY10 to help offset budget shortfalls.

Finally, the Board voted to authorize Chairman Kuhlke to send a letter to Governor Perdue requesting his VETO on SB200, and supplying appropriate documentation and calculations of the financial impact on the Department as the bill is currently written. The Board respectfully requests a thorough analysis to review SB200's affect on the budget and the existing deficits that have already been identified prior to passage into law by the Governor.

May Lettings

Dodge County - Maintenance/Resurfacing SR 117 FROM S OF FRONT STREET TO SUGAR CREEK BRIDGE - \$3,102,027

Jasper County - Maintenance/Resurfacing SR 83 FROM SR 11 TO MORGAN COUNTY LINE \$3,378,946

Jasper County - Maintenance/Resurfacing - SR 16 FROM BUTTS COUNTY LINE TO SR 11SO \$2,493,903

Governor Sonny Perdue has certified \$207 million of the \$512 million Board approved American Recovery Reinvestment Act 2009/Stimulus projects eligible for Federal funds.

By law, the Department must allocate a total of \$312 million of available stimulus funds by June 30, 2009, or the remainder of awarded funds will be forfeited by Georgia and reallocated to other states.

Certified projects for CD 8 are listed below.



1511 Certified Projects (CD8) Submitted by Governor Perdue to US DOT on April 8, 2009

DODGE	SR 117 FROM S OF FRONT STREET TO SUGAR CREEK BRIDGE	Resurface & Maintenance	\$3,504,372
HOUSTON	SR 11BU FROM SR 11 CONN/US 341 TO SR 11 CONN/US 341 IN PERRY	Resurface & Maintenance	\$1,225,471
JASPER	SR 83 FROM SR 11 TO MORGAN COUNTY LINE	Resurface & Maintenance	\$3,378,946
JASPER	SR 16 FROM BUTTS COUNTY LINE TO SR 11SO	Resurface & Maintenance	\$2,493,903